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U.S. CATTLE INVENTORY DOWN 1 PERCENT

All cattle and calves in the United States as of July 1, 2011, totaled 100.0 million head, 1 percent below the 101.1 million on July 1, 2010. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 40.6 million, were down 1 percent from last year. Beef cows, at 31.4 million, were also down 1 percent from July 1st of last year. Milk cows, at 9.2 million, were up 1 percent from July 1, 2010. All heifers 500 pounds and over, at 16.0 million, were

down 1 percent from July 1, 2010. Steers weighing 500 pounds and over at 14.2 million, down 1 percent from 2010. Bulls weighing 500 pounds and over, 2.0 million were down 5 percent from the previous year. Calves under 500 pounds at 27.2 million were down 1 percent.

The 2011 calf crop is expected to be 35.5 million, down 1 percent from 2010. Calves born during the first half of the

year are estimated at 25.8 million, down slightly from 2010.

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CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS AND CALF CROP UNITED STATES, JULY 1, 2010-2011

Class	2010	2011	2011 as a % of 2010
	<u>Thousand Head</u>		<u>Percent</u>
All Cattle and Calves	101,100	100,000	99
Cows and Heifers that have Calved:	40,900	40,600	99
Beef Cows	31,750	31,400	99
Milk Cows	9,150	9,200	101
Heifers 500 lb. and over:	16,200	16,000	99
For Beef Cow Replacement	4,400	4,200	95
For Milk cow Replacement	4,050	4,200	104
Other Heifers	7,750	7,600	98
Steers 500 lb. and over	14,400	14,200	99
Bulls 500 lb. and over	2,100	2,000	95
Calves under 500 lbs	27,500	27,200	99
Calf Crop ^{1/}	35,684	35,500	99
Cattle on Feed	11,900	12,200	103

^{1/} For the current year, the calf crop is the number of calves born before July 1 plus the number expected to be born on or after July 1.

INDIANA'S RED MEAT PRODUCTION DOWN 4 PERCENT

Indiana's commercial red meat production during June 2011 totaled 141.6 million pounds, down four percent from a year earlier. Total live weight of the 3,900 cattle killed totaled 4.2 million pounds. Total live weight of the 688,900 hogs killed totaled 183.6 million pounds. The 2,800 sheep slaughtered during June 2011 totaled 302,000 pounds.

Nationally, commercial red meat production for the United States totaled 4.22 billion pounds in June, up 1 percent from the 4.18 billion pounds produced in June 2010. Beef production, at 2.37 billion pounds, was 2 percent above the previous year. Cattle slaughter totaled 3.10 million head, up 2 percent from June

2010. The average live weight was up 1 pound from the previous year, at 1,262 pounds. Veal production totaled 11.2 million pounds, 4 percent above June a year ago. Calf slaughter totaled 72,500 head, up 6 percent from June 2010. The average live weight was down 3 pounds from last year, at 266 pounds. Pork production totaled 1.82 billion pounds, down 1 percent from the previous year. Hog slaughter totaled 8.94 million head, down 1 percent from June 2010. The average live weight was up 2 pounds from the previous year, at 273 pounds. Sheep slaughter totaled 183,400 head, 14 percent below last year. The average live weight was 137 pounds, up 3 pounds from June a year ago.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER ^{1/}

Species	Indiana				United States			
	June		January – June		June		January – June	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
Cattle								
Number of Head (000)	3.8	3.9	20.7	20.0	3,049.5	3,101.2	16,843.4	16,955.9
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	1,059	1,059	1,054	1,063	1,261	1,262	1,268	1,272
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	4,036	4,177	21,816	21,253	3,834,320	3,900,208	21,286,825	21,495,660
Calves								
Number of Head (000)	2/	2/	2/	2/	68.5	72.5	434.1	406.0
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	2/	2/	2/	2/	269	266	261	276
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	2/	2/	2/	2/	18,214	18,938	111,798	109,634
Hogs								
Number of Head (000)	727.8	688.9	4,144.8	4,119.5	9,046.3	8,940.0	53,704.0	53,598.7
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	263	267	263	271	271	273	272	276
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	191,263	183,636	1,090,08	1,117,282	2,449,712	2,434,938	14,573,341	14,804,640
Sheep								
Number of Head (000)	3.5	2.8	19.7	15.7	212.1	183.4	1,213.8	1,079.6
Average Live Weight (Lbs)	114	109	111	108	134	137	137	141
Total Live Weight (000 Lbs)	394	302	2,188	1,694	28,309	25,116	165,686	151,701

^{1/} Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected plants and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

^{2/} Not published to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

U.S. CATTLE ON FEED UP 4 PERCENT

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.5 million head on July 1, 2011. The inventory was 4 percent above July 1, 2010.

Placements in feedlots during June totaled 1.70 million, 4 percent above 2010. Net placements were 1.63 million head. During June, placements

of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 460,000, 600-699 pounds were 380,000, 700-799 pounds were 420,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 435,000.

Marketings of fed cattle during June totaled 2.10 million, 5 percent above 2010. Other disappearance totaled 70,000 during June, 27 percent above 2010.

JULY FARM PRICES RECEIVED INDEX INCREASED 2 POINTS

Indiana's mid-month prices for corn, soybeans, winter wheat, all milk, and replacement milk cows increased from last year. Winter wheat, corn, soybeans and all milk increased from last month.

The preliminary U.S. All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in July, at 181 percent, based on 1990-1992=100, increased 2 points (1.1 percent) from

June. The Crop Index is down 1 point (0.5 percent) but the Livestock Index increased 3 points (2.0 percent). Producers received higher prices for cattle, milk, cantaloupes, and corn and lower prices for broilers, wheat, broccoli, and carrots. In addition to prices, the overall index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell.

AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS - - INDIANA AND UNITED STATES JULY 2011 WITH COMPARISONS ^{1/}

Item	Unit	Dollars per Unit		
		July 2010	June 2011	July 15 2011
		<u>Indiana</u>		
Corn	Bu.	3.69	6.82	6.90
Soybeans	Bu.	10.10	13.40	13.80
Winter Wheat	Bu.	5.06	6.03	6.75
All Milk	Cwt.	17.20	21.50	22.60
Milk Cow Replacements	Head	1,260.00		1,500.00
		<u>United States</u>		
Corn	Bu.	3.49	6.38	6.46
Soybeans	Bu.	9.79	13.20	13.40
Winter Wheat	Bu.	4.47	7.13	6.98
Oats	Bu.	2.11	3.41	3.60
All Hay <u>2/</u>	Ton	112.00	163.00	170.00
Alfalfa Hay <u>2/</u>	Ton	117.00	180.00	189.00
Other Hay <u>2/</u>	Ton	97.30	113.00	119.00
Apples <u>2/</u>	Lb.	0.299	0.263	0.289
All Hogs	Cwt.	58.50	69.70	71.60
Barrows & Gilts	Cwt.	58.70	70.40	72.40
Sows	Cwt.	54.20	53.70	54.50
All Beef Cattle	Cwt.	91.70	107.00	112.00
All Milk	Cwt.	15.90	21.20	22.10
Milk Cow Replacements	Head	1,320.00		1,480.00
Table Eggs <u>2/</u>	Doz.	0.528	0.687	0.684
Turkeys <u>2/</u>	Lb.	0.647	0.695	0.691

^{1/} Entire month price is a revision of the previous published mid-month price for all items except when footnoted otherwise. ^{2/} Mid-month Price.

^{3/} Monthly estimates not published. (Monthly hog prices at the state level and monthly manufacturing grade milk prices at the state and national level have been discontinued).

TURKEY HATCHERY

Turkey eggs in incubators on July 1, 2011, in the United States totaled 29.1 million, down 3 percent from July 1, 2010. Eggs in incubators were up 3 percent from the June 1, 2011 total of 28.2 million eggs.

Turkey poults hatched during June 2011, in the United States totaled 23.8 million, down 2 percent from June

2010. Poults hatched were down 1 percent from the May 2011 total of 24.1 million poults.

The 23.4 million net poults placed during June 2011 in the United States were down 2 percent from the number placed during the same month a year earlier.

ALL TURKEYS

United States	Eggs in Incubators		2011 as a % of 2010	Eggs Hatched		2011 as a % of 2010
	2010	2011		2010	2011	
	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>
U.S.	29,850	29,084	97	24,341	23,773	98

NET PLACEMENTS - U.S. ^{1/}

Month	Total all breeds		2011 as a % of 2010	Cumulative total		2011 as a % of 2010
	2009-2010	2010-2011		2009-2010	2010-2011	
	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Percent</u>
June	23,946	23,421	98	223,607	227,088	102

^{1/} Includes imports and excludes exports.

JUNE EGG PRODUCTION UP SLIGHTLY

Indiana's laying flocks produced 543 million eggs during June 2011, up slightly from a year ago. The average number of layers on hand at 23.1 million, was down one percent from last month and two percent from last year. The rate of lay at 2,346 eggs per 100 layers, was 2 percent above last year.

United States egg production totaled 7.50 billion during June 2011, up slightly from last year. Production included 6.44 billion table eggs, and 1.07 billion hatching eggs, of which 999 million were broiler-type and 69 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during June 2011

averaged 336 million, down 1 percent from last year. June egg production per 100 layers was 2,230 eggs, up 1 percent from June 2010.

All layers in the United States on July 1, 2011 totaled 336 million, down 1 percent from last year. The 336 million layers consisted of 279 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 54.3 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 2.83 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on July 1, 2011, averaged 74.4 eggs per 100 layers, up 2 percent from July 1, 2010.

EGG PRODUCTION, LAYERS, AND HATCHING NUMBERS INDIANA AND U.S., JUNE 2010-2011

Item	Indiana			United States		
	2010	2011	2011 as a % of 2010	2010	2011	2011 as a % of 2010
Average Layers on Hand (thousands)	23,616	23,147	98	339,750	336,386	99
Eggs Per 100 Layers	2,295	2,346	102	2,203	2,230	101
Total Eggs Produced (millions)	542	543	100	7,484	7,502	100
Table Eggs (millions)	530	531	100	6,415	6,435	100
Hatching Eggs (millions)	12	12	100	1,069	1,068	100
Egg-Type Chicks Hatched (thousands)	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	42,331	39,313	93
Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched (thousands)	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	787,703	768,173	98

1/ Not published to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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